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TROPICAL CYCLONE BULLETIN NO. 26 Tropical Storm "DANTE" (CHOI-WAN)

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TROPICAL STORM "DANTE" CONTINUES TO MOVE NORTH NORTHWESTWARD OVER THE COASTAL WATERS WEST OF PANGASINAN.

Location of Center (7:00 AM)

The center of Tropical Storm "DANTE" (CHOI-WAN) was estimated based on all available data 145 km West Northwest of Dagupan City, Pangasinan (16.3°N, 119.0°E)

Intensity

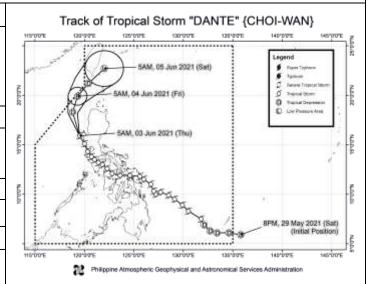
Maximum sustained winds of **65 km/h** near the center, gustiness up to **90 km/h**, and central pressure of **998 hPa**

Present Movement

North northwestward at 35 km/h

Extent of Tropical Cyclone Winds

Gale-force winds extend outward up to ${\bf 50}$ km from the center.



TRACK AND INTENSITY FORECAST

	Center Position			Intensity		Movement
Date and Time	Lat. (°N)	Lon. (°E)	Location	MSW (km/h)	Cat.	dir. and speed (km/h)
12-Hour Forecast 5:00 PM 3 June 2021	18.3	118.8	190 km West of Laoag City, Ilocos Norte	55	TD	NNW 25
24-Hour Forecast 5:00 AM 4 June 2021	19.9	119.3	240 km West Northwest of Calayan, Cagayan	45	TD	NNE 15
36-Hour Forecast 5:00 PM 4 June 2021	21.2	120.4	155 km West Northwest of Itbayat, Batanes	45	TD	NE 15
48-Hour Forecast 5:00 AM 5 June 2021	22.7	122.0	210 km North of Itbayat, Batanes	-	LOW	NE 20

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TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNALS IN EFFECT							
TCWS No.	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao				
2 (Damaging gale- force winds prevailing or expected within 24 hours)	The western portion of Pangasinan (Dasol, Mabini, Burgos, City of Alaminos, Agno, Bani, Bolinao, Anda)	-	-				
(Strong winds prevailing or expected within 36 hours)	The central portion of Pangasinan (Bugallon, Lingayen, Binmaley, Dagupan City, Mangaldan, Calasiao, San Carlos City, Aguilar, Mangatarem, Urbiztondo, Labrador, Infanta, San Fabian, Sual), the northwestern portion of Tarlac, (San Clemente), and the northern portion of Zambales (Santa Cruz, Masinloc, Palauig, Candelaria, Iba)	-	-				
	Tropical Cyclone Wind Signal in other areas is hereby lifted.	I	1				

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HAZARDS AFFECTING LAND AREAS

Heavy Rainfall

Today, Tropical Storm "DANTE" is forecast to bring:

- Moderate to heavy rains over Pangasinan, Zambales, Bataan, Occidental Mindoro including Lubang Islands, and Calamian Islands
- Light to moderate with at times heavy rains over Ilocos Region Cordillera Administrative Region, Tarlac, Pampanga, Bulacan, Metro Manila, Rizal, Laguna, Cavite, Batangas, Oriental Mindoro, and the northern portion of mainland Palawan including Cuyo Islands
- Under these conditions, scattered flooding (including flash floods) and rain-induced landslides are expected, especially in areas with high or very high susceptibility to these hazards as identified in hazard maps. Adjacent or nearby areas may also experience flooding in the absence of such rainfall occurrence due to surface runoff or swelling of river channels.

Severe Winds

- Strong winds to gale-force winds are possible over the areas where Tropical Cyclone Wind Signal #2 is hoisted. Such conditions may bring generally light to moderate damage to structures and vegetation.
- Strong winds (strong breeze to near gale) which may cause generally very light damage to structures and vegetation may be experienced in areas where TCWS #1 is in effect.

HAZARDS AFFECTING COASTAL WATERS

- In the next 24 hours, rough to very rough seas (2.5 to 4.0 m) will be experienced over the seaboards of areas where TCWS #2 is in effect. Sea travel is risky for small seacrafts over these waters. Mariners without the proper experience should immediately seek safe harbor.
- Moderate to rough seas over the seaboard of areas where TCWS #1 is in effect, the remaining seaboards of Northern Luzon (1.5 to 3.5 m), the remaining seaboards of Central Luzon, and the seaboards of Extreme Northern Quezon including the northern and eastern coastal waters of Polillo Islands (1.5 to 2.5 m). Mariners of small seacrafts are advised to take precautionary measures when venturing out to sea. Inexperienced mariners should avoid navigating in these conditions.

TRACK AND INTENSITY OUTLOOK

- Over the West Philippine Sea, "DANTE" will continue tracking generally north northwestward in the next 12 hours before turning north northeastward this afternoon or evening and northeastward tomorrow morning. "DANTE" will be over the Bashi Channel tomorrow afternoon or evening.
- "DANTE" is forecast to weaken into a tropical depression within the next 12 hours and into a remnant low on Saturday.

Considering these developments, the public and disaster risk reduction and management offices concerned are advised to take all necessary measures to protect life and property. Persons living in areas identified to be highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards are advised to follow evacuation and other instructions from local officials. For heavy rainfall warnings, thunderstorm/rainfall advisories, and other severe weather information specific to your area, please monitor products issued by your local PAGASA Regional Services Division.

Unless an intermediate bulletin is released, the next tropical cyclone bulletin will be issued at 11:00 AM today.

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